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In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application - Filing Date Granted" mailed from the Patent Office on September 28, 2000, enclosed herewith is a check in the amount of \$1,854.00 to cover the surcharge fee set forth under 37 C.F.R. §1.16(e), additional claim fee and basic filing fee.

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 690 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1034.
  - \$774 for 43 total claims over 20.
  - \$260 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
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